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14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27	DENNIS F., CAROL F., and GRACE F.; MARK P. and KESTREL P.; MAURA T. EDWARD T. and EMILY T.; ED L. and MINDY L.; KIM B.; ALISON B.; WILLIAM B.; LLOYD B. and TALYA B.; TIM B. and BENJAMIN B., ALAN C. and BROOKE C.; ROBIN C.; JAMES D. and TIFFANY D.; MARK E. and MELISSA E.; KEVIN F.; ANDREW G. and DANIEL G.; MARGARET K. and TREVOR K.; MARK L. and ELAINE L.; LEONARD L. and WILLIAM L.; N.M. and M. M.; PERRY P. and EVAN P.; TIFFANY B. and GABRIELLE R.; RICHARD R.; WILLIAM R.; LAWRENCE S.; DAGMAR W. and SAMANTHA W.; SHERMAN W. and ELEAZAR W.; CHERYL N.; RODNEY K. and BRIAN K., and HARRY T., CHRISTOPHER T., and ALEX T., Plaintiffs, v. AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Defendant.	CASE NO. CV-12-2819-MMC [PROPOSED] ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION TO SEVER INDIVIDUAL CAUSES OF ACTION The Hon. Maxine M. Chesney

1 [PROPOSED]-ORDER 2 Good cause being shown in the parties' Joint Stipulation To Sever Individual Causes of 3 Action, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT: 1. The Court shall dismiss without prejudice the claims of all of the Plaintiffs in this action 4 5 except the single claim asserted by the first three named Plaintiffs—Dennis F., Carol F., and Grace F.; -- are hereby DISMISSED without prejudice; 6 7 2. Within 60 days of the Court's dismissal, Plaintiffs shall file eleven separate complaints, each 8 asserting a separate claim for benefits under an ERISA-governed health benefits plan, on 9 behalf of: 10 Kim B., on behalf of minor A.B.; 11 Alison B., on behalf of minor D.B.; 12 William B., on behalf of minor R.B.; 13 Lloyd B. and Talya B.; 14 Mark L. and Elaine L.; 15 R.M. and M.M.; 16 Perry P. and Evan P.; 17 Richard R., on behalf of minor S.S.R.; 18 Dagmar W. and Samantha W.; 19 Cheryl N., on behalf of minor T.W.; and 20 k) Rodney K. and Brian K.; 21 3. Plaintiffs shall file motions to relate each of the eleven complaints enumerated above, and this 22 action, and to transfer each action to this Court; 23 Subject to the Court's approval of these motions to relate the cases, after the cases are related, 24 the Court, shall set a consolidated, joint status conference regarding all related cases at which 25 the parties and the Court shall discuss procedures and timelines for resolving all related cases. 26 // 27 // 28 //

hereby CONTINUED to April 22, 2016. 5. The status conference currently set for January 29, 2016 is taken off-calendar. IT IS SO ORDERED. DATED this 22 day of January , 2016 The Hon. Maxine M. Ches ley United States District Court Judge for the Northern District of California